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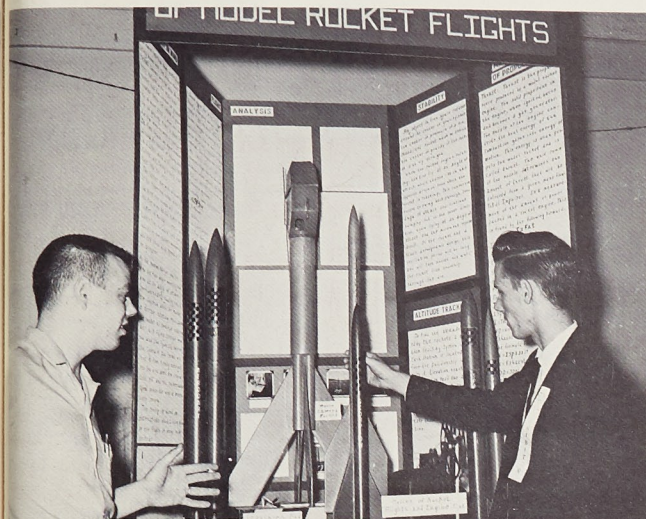
## Alan Hurley Wins First Prize at Science Fair Here

Rolla became a center of activity two weekends ago as students, parents, and teachers from surrounding high schools and colleges attended the South Central Missouri Science Fair, held on the third floor of Jackling Gymnasium, April 9-10, and sponsored by the Rolla Daily News and the University of Missouri at Rolla. Entered in the contest were high school boys and girls in the 10-12 grades, providing that their school was in the South Central Missouri region which consists of

college-bound student.

Alan Hurley, a student from Cabool High School, won the First Grand Prize with his exhibit of the "Mathematical Analysis of Model Rocket." His award consisted of a trophy and a trip to the National Science Fair to be held May 5-8 in St. Louis, Missouri. The sponsoring teacher of this exhibit was David Freemeyer.

An exhibition was judged on the basis of 100 points. A maximum of 30 points was given for creative ability as was a maximum



Alan Lynn Hurley, Cabool High School, explains his exhibit to another student at the South Central Missouri Science Fair. Hurley received first grand prize trophy for his entry.

the following countries: Phelps, Maries, Dent, Crawford, Pulaski, Osage, Gasconade, Camden, Franklin, Washington, Laclede, Texas, Wright, Shannon, Oregon, Howell, Douglas and Ozark. Exhibits could not have been entered in any previous South Central Missouri Science Fair.

Students entered exhibitions in the following areas: biology, chemistry mathematics, physics, earth sciences, and space science. An exhibit may have been the result of subjects studied in science classes or may have been a special investigation carried out by a student in a scientific field of his or her interest.

In connection with the Fair, an open house was held on Friday afternoon and from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, April 10. All departments of instruction and administrative offices were open to answer questions of interest to the

## U. S. Witnesses Sharp Increase In Draft Quota

The sharp increase in the draft to around 14,000 men in April compares with a draft quota of 7,900 for March. The March quota itself was an increase of 4,000 over the number originally planned for that month.

It is also expected that the draft quota for May will be around 14,000 men.

Defense officials said the upswing in the draft is due partly

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of 30 points for scientific thought. The remaining 40 points were divided into thoroughness, skill, clarity, and dramatic value.

High schools participating in the Science Fair were Ava, Eminence, Fatima, Hartville, Herman, Mountain View, Owensville, Rolla, St. Francis Borgia, Cabool, Houston, Lebanon, Mountain Grove, St. James, Summersville, Union, Washington, and West Plains. APO, Scabard and Blade, Blue Key, and Pershing Rifles served as guards for the event.

## Blue Key Honors Athletes With Banquet and Awards

Since last spring when the money was set aside for athletic scholarships and scouts started the search for promising high school athletes, the University of Missouri at Rolla has begun a change where more emphasis is being put on a wider and improved sports program. Before this time varsity sports at MSM were almost at a standstill, but during the past year much has been accomplished to up-grade our entire athletic program to the point where one can be very hopeful for future seasons. Despite this backing given by the school, much is still left to be done before our teams can be expected to reach their full potential. The main thing still lacking is student enthusiasm and school wide recognition for our athletes who represent our school. Although enthusiasm can only be created through an interested and con-

scientious student body, Blue Key is sponsoring an athletic banquet to recognize the athletes at MSM through the presentation of awards to the outstanding athletes throughout the year in every major sport.

The banquet will be held in the Student Union on May 5th at 6:30 with the star defensive end of the St. Louis Football Cardinals, Joe Robb, as the speaker. He will talk on the Cardinals outlook for the 1965 National Football League and some of his own personal experiences on the gridiron. The program will also include a movie of the highlights of the last Cardinal football season, along with the awards to the outstanding athletes in each sport.

Tickets for the banquet will be available to any student or faculty member who wishes to attend.

# The Missouri MINER

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## Preregistration Timetable Set For Summer and Fall Semester

Preregistration for students now enrolled in school who will be returning for the 1965 summer session and/or the 1965-66 fall semester will start May 3rd. See the timetable for preregistration in this paper for further information.

Students who preregister for fall

will again be given an opportunity to pay fees by mail during the month of July. For further information see the instructions in the front of the fall schedule of classes which will be available in the Registrar's Office, May 1.

You will note in the new catalog, now available in the Registrar's Office, that two changes in fees will go into effect this fall. The fee for dropping one or more courses at any one time will be \$5.00; the fee for adding one or more courses at any one time will be \$5.00; the fee for dropping one or more courses and adding one or more courses at the same time will be \$5.00; this fee to become effective the day class work begins. Students registering late (after classes start) will be required to pay a \$25.00 late registration fee in addition to the regular fees.

### Timetable for 1965 Summer and Fall Preregistration

MONDAY, MAY 3 — Seniors and graduate students will report to departments to preregister.

TUESDAY, MAY 4 — Juniors whose surnames begin with M through Z will report to departments to preregister.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 5 — Juniors whose surnames begin with A through L will report to departments to preregister.

THURSDAY, MAY 6 — Sophomores and Freshmen whose surnames begin with M through Z will report to departments to preregister.

FRIDAY, MAY 7 — Sophomores and Freshmen whose surnames begin with A through L will report to departments to preregister.

### NOTICE ALL STUDENTS

The Student Council will sponsor a poll of the students regarding St. Pat's and Easter vacation. The students will be asked to mark one of the following choices:

- ☐ 1. Leave these two vacations as they are.
- ☐ 2. Take Thursday from St. Pat's and add it to Easter.
- ☐ 3. Take Thursday and Friday from St. Pat's and add them to Easter.

This poll will be taken from 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, April 28, in the Student Union.

Please Vote!

## NBC News Correspondent Sheds Light on Viet Nam

NBC correspondent Robert Growsky spoke on the world situation and American involvement in Viet Nam Monday night in the Student Union. His topics included "Viet Nam: America's Political and Military Frustrations," "President's Foreign Policy," and "The Changing World and the Challenge to U. S. Leadership."

signed to the capitol since 1957. Before this he was on tour in Asia and the Pacific areas specifically in Indonesia and Japan. He was one of the last reporters to leave Viet Nam.

He accompanied Johnson on his campaign trail and on his various speaking tours in the Appalachians and the Ohio Valley. Mr. Grow-



One of the last reporters to leave Viet Nam, Robert Growsky relates first hand experiences on this and other world affairs.

On the Viet Nam topic he gave a review of the situation from its beginning to the present day. Included in the President's foreign policy he discussed the United Nations, the Congo, the Western Alliance and Europe. Communist China was the main center of attention in the concluding of his topics on the U. S. challenge.

Robert Growsky has been as-

sky was also with Eisenhower on his tour of Asia.

He received his education at the University of Illinois at Chicago where he graduated in 1949. After this he received a Ford Foundation Fellowship to Johns Hopkins University where he studied advanced international relations.

## Exercise Your Right-Vote Wednesday



## Bill Farrell and Bob Ricketts Named Blue Key Men of the Month

### FEBRUARY

For the month of February the members of Blue Key have selected Bill Farrell as Blue Key Man



BILL FARRELL

of the Month. Since his graduation from Christian Brothers Col-

lege in 1960 and present, Bill has been very active in extra-curricular activities as well as his school work. During this time, "Willie" has acquired many honors. Some of these include: president of Blue Key; president, vice-president of Theta Tau; secretary of the Student Council; president of American Foundryman's Society; president of American Society of Metals. He is also a member of Alpha Sigma Mu; Alpha Phi Omega, and the Nuclear Engineering Society.

Despite all these activities and at present being the president of Kappa Sigma social fraternity, Bill has an over-all grade point of 2.81 and was the recipient of the Foundry Educational Foundation Scholarship and has been elected to Who's Who for two years.

Congratulations to a true leader and a deserving recipient of the Blue Key Man of the Month award.

### MARCH

Blue Key's selection for March Man-of-the-Month is Bob Ricketts, a senior majoring in nuclear metallurgy. Since his arrival on campus Bob has distinguished himself both as a campus leader as well as scholastically. In his first year he was elected as freshman of the year and has added to this fine start during the past two years.

Topping his list of achieve-

ments is the presidency of Theta Tau, and Kappa Sigma social fraternity, along with being elected to Who's Who in both his junior and senior years. Other offices he has held include: president of AIME; treasurer of Blue Key; and president of Alpha Sigma Mu. He also is a member of Alpha Phi Omega, Phi Eta Sigma, Tau Beta



BOB RICKETTS

Pi, Phi Kappa Phi, Sigma Pi Sigma, and the American Foundryman's Society.

Despite his busy schedule Bob has managed to compile a 3.6 overall with numerous scholarships to his credit since his arrival in 1961. A salute to Bob Ricketts, Blue Key's March Man of the Month.

## List of Draftees Grows

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to a decline in enlistments but also is being caused in part by a new Army policy of calling men for longer periods of training before actual vacancies occur.

Many of the April Draftees, for example, will be filling vacancies that do not occur until next September. Under the former policy men were called only four to six weeks before vacancies were available for them.

First enlistments meanwhile have been running 20 to 25 percent below the same months for the previous year.

MSM students can register at Local Selective Service Board No. 85 here in Rolla and personnel of

this local board will send the registration to the home board that the student designates.

The legal time for draft registration in five days after the person reaches his 18th birthday.

According to the Clerk of the Local Selective Service Board, a number of students are registering 30 to 60 days late, particularly, the students from the larger cities. These students are seemingly not aware that they are subject to prosecution for failing to register in accordance with the regulations.

Anyone who is required to register is also required to keep his own local draft board informed of any change in his status.



The money collected in the Easter Seal campaign is used to aid those suffering from crippling diseases.

resulting in donations of approximately \$200.00.

The work of the local Easter Seal Society, under the chairmanship of Professor Karl Moulder, basically involves helping members of the community who are afflicted with crippling diseases. A large portion of the Society's activity is focused on aiding crippled children to go to St. Louis for specialized treatment and instruction.

**DON'T FORGET  
TO  
VOTE**

### NOTICE!

#### Attention Mechanical Engineering Students

All counseling for pre-registration for the summer and fall semesters will be held in the mechanical engineering laboratory as follows:

Seniors and Juniors — Wednesday, April 28 from 6 p. m. to 9 p. m.

Sophomores and Freshmen — Friday, April 30 from 6 p. m. to 9 p. m.

Your attendance is requested as all mechanical engineering faculty will be present. All students should pick up additional information concerning preregistration in the mechanical engineering hallway sometime before these dates.

## Recipients Will Soon Be Chosen For FEF Funds

Applications are now being accepted for Foundry Educational Foundation Scholarships for the 1965-66 school year. The stipend for these scholarships has been increased and will amount to \$400 for the full school term. The number of scholarships has been reduced to ten rather than sixteen as in the past, and the awards will be granted on the basis of the school year rather than by the semester. Although this change will limit somewhat the number of students who can be assisted through this program, it will mean more substantial financial aid for those who receive the scholarships.

Students enrolled in Metallurgical or Mechanical Engineering are eligible to apply. The awards are provided through the Foundry Educational Foundation and are granted only to students who sincerely contemplate the foundry industry as their career upon graduation. Other factors which will be taken into consideration are scholarship, integrity, engineering promise and need. Application blanks are available in the office of Paul E. Ponder, Room 101, Parker Hall.

Applications should be filed not later than April 30, 1966. A faculty committee will select the recipients as soon as possible after that date.

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## MSM PR's Selected for National Drill Competition

The MSM Pershing Rifles, Company K-7, won four first place awards and one third in competition at the Annual Seventh Regimental Assembly at Oklahoma State University, Stillwater, recently.

Ten schools from the states of Oklahoma, Kansas, Missouri and Arkansas entered the competition.

MSM took first place for the fifth consecutive year in two events, exhibition platoon drill and M-1 Rifle assembly and disassembly. They also took first place in machine gun crew drill and Cadet Roy Gilkey won first in individual exhibition drill. The group

placed third in rifle marksmanship.

In addition, Cadet Colonel Russell C. Lindenlaub, commanding officer of the MSM Pershing Rifles Company, received the Regiment's outstanding commander's award.

Because of their consistent superior performance in platoon exhibition drill, the MSM team has been selected for competition in the National Pershing Rifles Drill competition in Chicago, Ill., April 16 and 17. Competition there will be against the nation's outstanding military drill units.

## Alpha Chi Sigma Ask Your Vote for "Professor Snarf"

An election is currently being held at that great sanctuary of learning, the Chemical Engineering Building, to determine which Chemistry or Chemical Engineering professor will reign as "Professor Snarf" for this year. "Professor Snarf," as you may know from encountering some of the tests given there, is the meanest, cruelest, dirtiest Old Man ever to wield a shaft. His fame is nationwide because of his prominent role in the "Little Man on Campus" cartoon series by Bibler, and several other schools now hold these elections regularly. Alpha Chi Sigma, the professional Chemistry and Chemical Engineering fraternity, felt that it was time that some of our own professors received this recognition. Therefore they are sponsoring the election, one penny per vote, to decide the winner. Proceeds are to be used for the betterment of the Alpha Chi Sigma safety program.

Ten professors are currently in the running, picked for their outstanding "Snarf-like" characteristics, and everyone is sure to find the candidate of his choice among them. These profs seem to look upon the "Professor Snarf" title as a great honor, and have redoubled their tests, shotguns, and homework in a last minute effort

to gain votes and win the handsome trophy — a big purple, barbed shaft! If you are a student in Chemistry, Chemical Engineering, or have ever sat up bleary-eyed 'til three in the morning studying for any chemistry course, here is your chance to strike back. Give a prof the shaft by voting in the front hall of the Chemical Engineering Building today!

## MSM ROTC Band Presents Concert in S. U. Ballroom

The MSM ROTC Band, which is slated to play six concerts at the World's Fair in late April and early May, presented their "World's Fair Concert" at 7:30 p.m., Thursday, April 22 in the Student Union Ballroom.

The band presented a varied program including some of the music they will play at the Fair as well as standard concert selections.

At the concert, a 48-page booklet, "Fifty-seven Years of Musical Miners" was made available. The booklet portrays the history of the band since the first instru-

## Coterie Little Theater Presents "The Pied Piper of Hamelin"

A live performance of the classical children's play, "The Pied Piper of Hamelin," will be presented this evening at 7:30 p.m. and tomorrow afternoon at 2:00 p.m. at the Administration Building, Cedar Street. Admission is 50c for children, \$1.00 for adults. Tickets will be available at the door on a first come, first served basis.

The play is being produced by the Coterie Little Theater, with wives and children of University faculty taking the various parts. Adult characters will be played by Anne Siehr, Louise Britton, LaVon Pendleton, Arlene Pagano, Jan Vickers, Rudi Leitner, Mickey Vickers, Anne Bobbitt, and Marge Richards. Children and rats will be portrayed by Lance Leitner, Merl W. Baker, Laura Richards, Lana Leitner, Kathy Christensen, Jessica Lorey, Elizabeth Lorey, Sylvia Brown, Patty Pagano, Pamela Van Nostrand, Marilyn Baker, Beth Sauer, Lynn Day, Judy Vickers, Joyce Vickers, and Stacy Leitner. Mrs. Paul Dean Proctor will direct the play.

Adapted from a poem by Robert Browning, the play uses poetic form in portions of its dialogue. It begins with the Piper saying, "Hamelin Town's in Brunswick,

by famous Hanover City. The river Weser, deep and wide, washes its wall with the southern side. A pleasanter spot you never spied. But when begins my ditty, almost five hundred years ago, to see the people suffer so, from vermin, was a pity." The vermin of which he speaks was rats.

The play revolves around a magic piper who lures the rats away from Hamelin with his flute and then encounters difficulties collecting the fee promised for his services. In the play a young crippled boy named Hans is also granted three wishes.

Although this is the first children's drama attempted by the

Coterie group, it is their fifth full length performance. In addition they have done four one act plays and held monthly meetings featuring special talks on the theater.

Combining a good script, a lively cast, music, dance, and interesting sets, "The Pied Piper of Hamelin" promises to be well worth seeing.

### NOTICE!

Theta Tau service fraternity will sponsor a car wash this Saturday, April 24, at Thomas Shell Service. The Car Wash will be open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., and costs will be \$1.25. Thomas Shell Service is located at 10th and Rolla Street. Everyone is invited to have their car washed.

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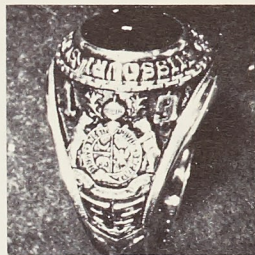
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## E.J. Hanly Joins Administration

Edmund J. Hanly has joined the staff of MSM as assistant to the business officer (for contracts), Chancellor Merl Baker has announced.

Hanly assumed his duties March 1, replacing Terry Smith who was recently named research coordinator and assistant professor of economics.

Before coming to the Rolla campus, Hanly had held the position of assistant to the director of the Memorial Student Union at the University of Missouri, Columbia. He received his B. S. in 1963 from the University of Missouri School of Business and Public Administration, where he graduated in the upper 25 per cent of the class.

Hanly's wife, Donna, received both her B. A. and M. A. in speech pathology and audiology at the University of Missouri, Columbia. She is presently on the staff (part time) of the Center for the Handicapped in Rolla and the Dent County Health Center Speech Clinic.

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# Miner Editorials and Letters

## Who Was Self-Centered?

Dear Editor:

I was interested and disturbed over Mr. Burjeck's letter concerning the standing crowd at the New Christy Minstrel's performance here.

I don't believe the majority of the standing crowd was any more self centered than the people who were seated. The fact is that the ground was wet and muddy. On this point, the seated people must be commended. A muddy field isn't the best place to sit when you're wearing a clean pair of slacks. The people who wouldn't yield for this reason were no more at fault than those people standing behind, yelling, "Sit down so I can see." This is self centeredness. I think the shoe fits the other foot, but I'm sure that if Mr. Burjeck had been one of those standing in the front, he would have been more than happy to sit in the mud so the good chap behind him could get a little better view.

Yes, I was at the performance, and considering the undesirable conditions, the show went along as well as could be expected. Aside from the always present grippers, I think most everyone enjoyed the evening.

Sincerely,  
John M. Parks

## MINER



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## Increase Easter Vacation And Still Keep St. Pat's?

"KEEP THE TRADITIONS OF ST. PAT'S ALIVE. THESE TRADITIONS AND CELEBRATIONS ARE A LEGACY ENTRUSTED TO YOU BY ALL THOSE WHO HAVE WORKED TO MAKE ST. PAT'S WHAT IT IS TODAY."

With these words of farewell, former Dean Curtis L. Wilson made it a personal responsibility of each student to preserve the oldest tradition on the MSM campus. Now we are in danger of losing this tradition.

If we lose part of the St. Pat's vacation, we are sure to lose the spirit and prestige that we have built in the past years. Many alumni have worked hard to make the celebration what it is today. Are we going to disregard all of this work just so we might have a longer easter vacation. Surely there must be a better solution.

Now that we are no longer the "Missouri School of Mines," St. Pat's is the only means of association with the "old" School. When the name change was proposed to the students, there was much controversy. Are we going to lose St. Pat's also?

The vote next Wednesday proposed to take one or two days from St. Pat's and add them to Easter Vacation. But what about Christmas and Semester Break? Could we not take a day from each and add these to Easter? If the Calendar Committee respects our vote to increase Easter Vacation, would they also accept our decision where to decrease vacations — besides St. Pat's?

### NOTICE!

VOTE TO  
GIVE SHAFT TO  
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OF YOUR CHOICE.  
SEE ALPHA CHI SIGMA  
ARTICLE  
ON PAGE 3.

## New York: 'The City and the Fair'

This summer every visitor to New York gets two fabulous vacations in one. There's the wonderful exciting city and there is the fair. From June to September, New York is a World's Fair and a Summer Festival, too, and a vacation bargain that can't be beat.

Come and see the new and even better Fair! Last year 27 million people came and had a great time. Many people went several times. Some New Yorkers went every week. Everyone agreed that once the Fair gets in your blood, you have to go back.

The Fair has been busy all winter getting ready for your visit. Everything is sparkling with new paint, new ideas, new exhibits. Over 100 pavilions have changed, improved, or added to their exhibits, reports the New

York Convention and Visitors Bureau. Several other pavilions, because they opened late in the 1964 season, will be new exhibits for most Fairgoers.

### Belgian Village

One of these is the beautiful Belgian Village. This is an authentic village such as you would find in Belgium today. It has over 100 buildings, all exact replicas of existing Belgian structures, including a 15th century church, city hall, towers, canal, carousel and workshops where artisans display their skill.

### Last Year's Greats

Last year's most popular exhibits will reopen this year, too. Included are: Ford's Magic Skyway; General Motors Futurama; General Electric's Progressland; Pepsi Cola's enchanting Walt Disney creation "It's a Small

World" and the much-acclaimed film "To Be Alive" in the Johnson Wax Pavilion.

### Visitors Convenience

Visitors to this year's Fair will find faster-moving lines at the big exhibits, more places to sit down and rest, more inexpensive restaurants and much greater emphasis on visitor convenience.

### New York City

New York has more sightseeing wonders than any other city in the world. Top visitor attractions, according to the New York Convention and Visitors Bureau, are the Empire State Building, Rockefeller Center, the Statue of Liberty, Times Square, the United Nations and new Lincoln Center. See these famous sights by all means, but don't stop there.

The New York skyline is one of the most spectacular sights. To see it best, take a boat trip around the Island. You'll sail past the Statue of Liberty, past giant ocean liners at dock, past New York's famous bridges. It's wonderful outing for a summer day.

### 'On Broadway'

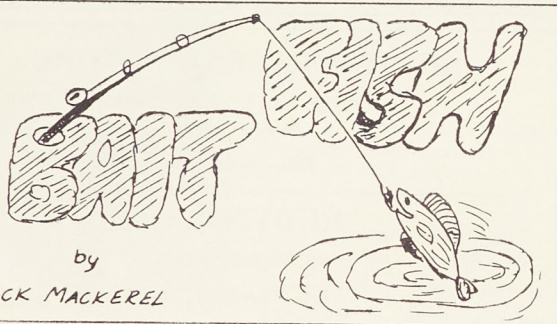
Of course, you'll want to see a Broadway show. Summer is a fine time to do it. Tickets to the hit shows such as "Baker Street", "Any Wednesday", "Golden Boy" and "Luv" are easier to get in summer, so enjoy yourself in one of Broadway's 30 air-conditioned theatres.

### "Mary Poppins"

While you are in town, see the new movies. Beautifully redecorated Radio City Music Hall features its world-famous stage show and a first-run movie on the same program. Among the award-winning movies to be shown around town this summer are "My Fair Lady", "Zorba the Greek" and "Mary Poppins".

### Sports Fan's Paradise

New York is a sports fan's paradise. If you like baseball, you'll get a bang out of watching the Yankees or the Mets. Or, if you would rather, ride out to the Big A and watch the thoroughbreds run. There is horse racing every day and the Summer Festival Handicap is a high spot of the racing season. For soccer fans, there is action at Shea Stadium



by  
JACK MACKEREL

Spring is really bustin' out all over, even if it was a little slow in arriving this year. With the entry of spring we notice all sorts of pleasant happenings taking place: Campus girls are looking better all the time. Could it be that we see in them (very faintly, of course) an image of the girl "we left behind?" It seems that it is getting progressively harder and harder to leave that girl behind each time you go home, doesn't it? Maybe it's just because there is an ocean of green grass to stretch out in with her and dream about how things are going to be in about six weeks; or maybe it's because of those lonely walks down dimly lit roads on warm summer evenings when the sweet scent of Chanel No. 5 fills your nostrils and puts your mind in a whirl of fantasy and happiness. Before you start climbing the walls, just remember that she has the same dreams! (We hope!!)

Another task that is getting harder is the dreary necessity to study. After all, how can you sit down and work out Differentials when there are birds singing and baseballs whizzing every which way through the air. It seems that Professors are fully cognizant of the fact and are overjoyed at the idea of more shotguns and longer assignments. Teachers love Spring! When else can they have that satisfaction of dropping their A students down to a C with only one quiz, O joy and jolly.

One more thing is getting harder to do . . . and this is trying to think of what to write for this column . . . see ya next week!

Do you have any complaints or praises which you think are worthy of note? If so, I'd be glad to hear from you, just send them to:

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## CRYING OUT LOUD

BY JOHN TENFELDER

Once upon a time there was a boy by the name of Joe Miner. He was a very naughty boy, too — he ran his own radio station, and he did not even have a license. Bad, evil Joe! Luckily, we have a fine upright radio station, run by good, moral citizens; they tell us all about wicked boys like Joe and their heinous crimes — for two minutes every half hour.

The fact that Joe is a Miner was also played up big. Thank God, we sure do want everybody to think we are a big bunch of half-drunk hoods, don't we? So what if they had to blow things out of proportion somewhat in order to impress people and convince them that we are gangsters first, and students second. At least nobody thinks we are clean law-abiding citizens now. It would have taken years of concentrated vandalism, shoplifting, robberies, and beatings to establish a reputation as Crime, Inc., instead of the MSM student body, but now we don't have to do all that — a radio station has done it for us in just a few hours of broadcasting time.

After talking to someone at the station who assured me that the University officials would hear from them if a detrimental article appeared in the Miner, I thought they should hear from us when detrimental shadows are cast on the whole student body. To drop the phrase "a student at MSM" would not be honest reporting I am told, and I would hate to think that there was a biased radio station in Rolla.

Although I only mentioned one case where that radio station announced a student misdemeanor I have heard many other reports of student "crimes" where the station never fails to mention that the culprit is a Miner. Some of these things did not even occur in Rolla, so I think it is about time that we move to protect ourselves from unfair and undeserved bad publicity in the interest of our school and our own selves. I don't mean KCLU!



# Keep MSM's Traditions; Vote to Keep St. Pat's Strong

Dear Students:

On Wednesday, April 28, a very critical decision will be made by the student body of MSM. On this day a vote will be taken on the proposed changes in the celebration of St. Pat's. The outcome of this vote will determine the future policy of MSM concerning the celebration of our patron saint of engineers. Although a faculty committee will make the final decision, the opinion of the students will weigh heavily in making their decision.

There will be three choices as to the new MSM celebration of St. Pat's. One is to eliminate Thursday from the celebration; another is to eliminate both Thursday and Friday; and the third choice is to leave St. Pat's the way it is now. We of the St. Pat's Board feel that the student body should be made aware of the importance of the ballot and the damage which may come about if the voting is not regarded in a serious manner.

At the present time St. Pat's is our oldest living tradition. MSM has always been commended on the great school spirit demonstrated during St. Pat's and it has been recognized as one of the best celebrations throughout the Mid-West. We are presently ranked in the top 10 in the nation as an engineering school and with a combination of the school spirit we now have and the Centennial Expansion Program, MSM can become number one in the nation. Therefore, by eliminating St. Pat's, we will be hurting our chance to be the best engineering school in the nation. To do away with the one great unifying event of the school year would be to do away with all spirit to make our campus the best campus.

Therefore we urge every student to mark his ballot for the proposal to continue the celebration of St. Pat's as we are presently doing. Either of the other proposals would be a detriment to St. Pat's and to the future of the school. Both Thursday and Friday are absolutely necessary for the successful celebration of St. Pat's. It is on these days that final preparations for the annual parade are made. The contests and games held at Lions Park also add to the festivities of the weekend. And finally, these two days are needed to decorate the armory for the guest entertainers of the evening. In the future the evening entertainment will be open to Miners only and it will continue to include top name bands.

Without Thursday and Friday the true spirit of St. Pat's and the true spirit of the school will be lost. We urge everyone to stop in at the Student Union next Wednesday and vote to keep St. Pat's as it is. Are we going to be the number one engineering school in the country or the "vanishing Miner?"

Sincerely,  
St. Pat's Board

## Letter From Dr. Baker

St. Pat's Board:

On behalf of the administration and the faculty of the University of Missouri at Rolla, I want to thank you and the St. Pat's Board for a very outstanding St. Patrick's Day celebration. I was delighted with the outstanding floats, the orderly conduct of the students, your informative comments at the Rotary Club, and the generally good organization and execution of the program. This is a credit, indeed, to our students and I trust that this year's Board will make a record of this success so that next year's Board can profit from these.

Sincerely,  
Merl Baker  
Chancellor

## Letter From Mayor Northern

St. Pat's Board:

For many years I have had an opportunity to observe the St. Pat's parade and celebration. I can say, without fear of contradiction, that this year's parade was the best. I would conservatively estimate that more than 6,500 citizens observed and enjoyed the parade.

On behalf of myself, personally, and on behalf of the citizens of Rolla, as mayor, I want to congratulate the student body for a fine performance and to especially express our appreciation for the clean and orderly conduct of all students.

We saw no obscenity, vulgarity or misconduct. We are certainly proud to have such a fine group as our present student body as citizens of our community.

Sincerely,  
Eugene E. Northern  
Mayor

## From a Humble Beginning to an Elaborate St. Pat's

In the spring of 1908 the University of Missouri extended an invitation to the School of Mines to send a delegate to Columbia to witness their ceremonies. As a result, a mass meeting was held in front of the post office, where all important questions of state were settled, and J. H. Bowles was elected delegate to the ceremonies at Columbia. The Miners, however, were not contented to let the situation stop at that. A committee consisting of G. A. Easley, '09, Clay Gregory, '10, and D. L. Forrester, '11, was appointed to arrange a celebration in Rolla. Considerable difficulty was encountered, as many of the students were skeptical, and the faculty was opposed to the deal. Nevertheless, March 17, 1908, was declared a holiday by popular vote of the student body, and on the morning of the 17th, St. Pat arrived at the Grand Central Station in the personage of George Menefee, and was met by the crowd armed with shillalags, and wearing green sashes. St. Pat alighted from his palace car, and was escorted to his chariot, in which he rode to Norwood Hall at the head of the hastily arranged parade.

After lecturing the seniors and interpreting the marks on the Blarney Stone, he dubbed the class of '08 and Dr. L. E. Young, "Knight of the Order of St. Patrick." A band concert, hilarity, and a general resolve to continue the celebration in future years ended the day.

The St. Pat's Board had its beginning on Thursday, December 11, 1930, when the student body voted for the first St. Pat's Board in the history of MSM. Ever since then it has been steadily increasing until it reached its present membership of 30.

Among the many jobs performed by the St. Pat's Board are the organizing of the dances, the arranging of the parade, the knights, picking the orchestra, judging the beard contest and many others too numerous to name.

Although without the St. Pat's Board we would have no organized celebration such as we know it today, it is financially independent. Their biggest income comes from the sale of the St. Pat's Dance tickets and it is supplemented by the annual St. Pat's Benefit Show and the Homecoming Dance.

From a humble beginning St. Pat's has grown to be not only the most elaborate and most noteworthy occasion at MSM, but also to be a festive occasion in many of the engineering schools in the United States. Each year the obligations and demands become greater and more exacting in order to meet the magnitude of the occasion. This is both logical and necessary. It is logical, because St. Pat's should continue to grow and become better each year. It is necessary in order to maintain prestige of the school with the alumni and with other colleges.



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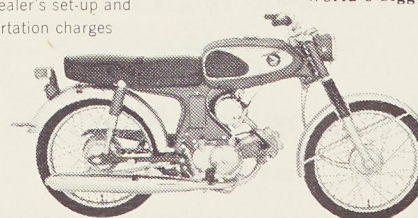
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## AVCO Corporation Provides MSM Support for Research Project

The Tulsa Division of the AVCO Corporation has provided \$11,479 to the University of Missouri for support of a research project on Radiation Induced Polymer Formation in Vacuum Systems to be conducted by Dr. Raymond L. Venable and Dr. Samir B. Hanna.

The funding has resulted from a recent agreement between the Materials Research Center of MSM and the AVCO Corporation to cooperate in a joint research in materials science. The Materials Research Center is part of the University space sciences research activities recently organized through an appropriation from the Missouri General Assembly.

Dr. Haas said AVCO has also assigned James R. Wolfe of their Tulsa technical staff to the Materials Research Center at MSM as part of the joint program. At Rolla, Mr. Wolfe will aid in coordinating AVCO's research efforts on various research projects now under way. Additional contributions from AVCO in funds and personnel are also expected as the materials research program develops, Dr. Haas said.

In discussion of the agreement with AVCO Dr. Merl Baker, Chancellor of MSM, said:

"We look forward to research with AVCO/Tulsa because of the company's long and successful cooperative program with universities. The association is already proving to be stimulating and

challenging to the faculty of the Materials Research Center and associated departments on the Rolla campus, and we are particularly pleased by AVCO's interest in furthering University graduate training in addition to supporting potentially useful research."

According to Dr. William James, professor of chemistry at the Rolla campus and Senior Investigator in the materials research, the University and AVCO researchers will study the structure

of materials at interfaces in an attempt to learn more about surface failures such as corrosion. Corrosion, which occurs when metallic elements react with other non-metals in their environment, annually costs industry millions of dollars, Dr. James said. However, there are other types of surface failures in space environments which are of even greater importance to the nation's space exploration effort, he explained. One problem, for instance, is that of contaminants which form in a vacuum and stick to surfaces. The research by Dr. Venable and Dr. Hanna will aid in determining the basic physical-chemical mechanisms of contaminant formation and deposition in the space environment.

## ASCE Features Mr. E.J. Turner, Missile Expert

On April 7, Mr. Earl J. Turner, of Sverdrup and Parcel Inc., spoke to the student chapter of the American Society of Civil Engineers on his company's part in the Saturn missile testing program. Mr. Turner, Senior Engineer of the Special Structures Section of Sverdrup and Parcel Inc., was in charge of designing a missile test stand capable of withstanding the thrust, vibrations, flame, etc., which are produced by the booster rockets of missiles. While showing slides, Mr. Turner elaborated on the preliminary design, model testing, final design, and actual construction of the test stands.

There will be no meeting of the student chapter on May 5. Instead, students are encouraged to attend the Mid-Continent Conference of ASCE which will be held at MSM on April 30 and May 1.

Election of officers for the fall semester will comprise the last meeting of the semester to be held on May 19 at 7:30 p. m. in Room 114 CE.

### NOTICE!

A small theatrical group known as the Kaleidoscope Players will present two well known plays at the Student Union Ballroom on Monday, May 3, at 8:00 p. m. The program is called "Two by Five" — two plays by five actors. The two-part show will feature excerpts from Rostand's "The Romancers" and "Cyrano de Bergerac." This theatrical group has had good reviews from all over the United States and the plays are quite enjoyable.

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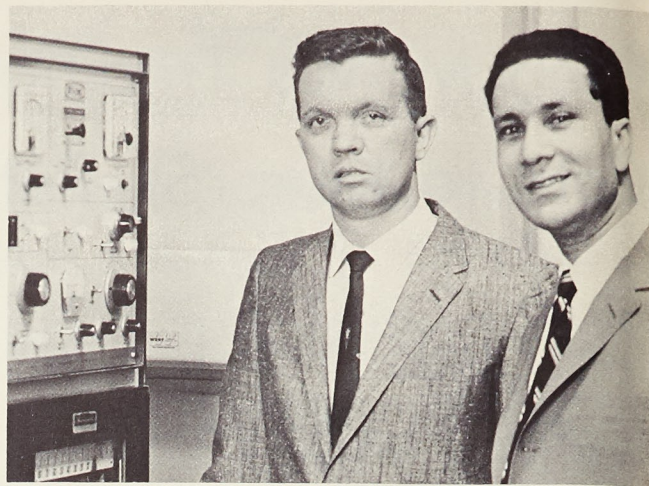


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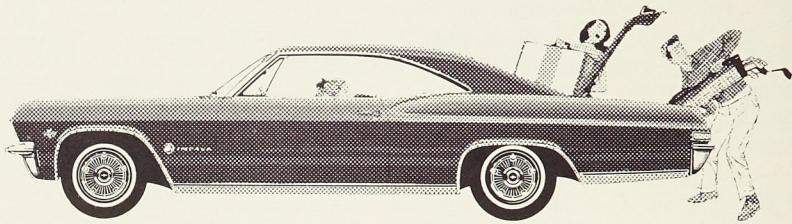
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Dr. Raymond Venable (left) and Dr. Samir Hanna, both assistant professors of chemistry at MSM, with the gas chromatograph used in studies of contamination of high-vacuum "space-like" environments. The gas chromatograph is one of the more recent, precise and versatile laboratory tools for analysis of the composition of complex mixtures of matter.

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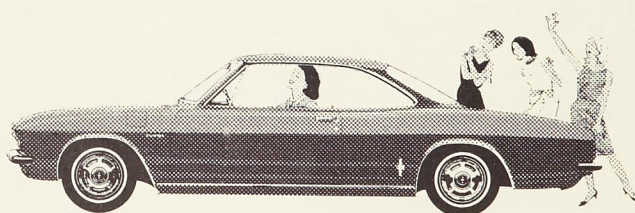
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## Ken Cage, Product of Our ROTC Department

### Returns to the MSM Campus for Advanced Study

Kenneth L. Cage, a 1963 MSM ROTC graduate, has returned to MSM this semester to seek a Master's Degree in Nuclear Engineering.

Kenneth completed the requirements for his Bachelor of Science Degree in Mechanical Engineering in January 1963 and was commissioned a second lieutenant in the United States Army Reserve at that time.

He entered active duty with the Army on March 25th, 1963. He obtained an early release from the Army on January 18th, 1965 to enroll in the graduate school program at MSM.

Kenneth said in an interview to-day that he would "take ROTC again." He said: "I strongly recommend a commission for a young man not only because he becomes a participant in the future of his country but he acquires a maturity that, in my opinion, is essential to future success in his chosen profession."

After completing the Engineer Officer Basic Course at Fort Belvoir, Va., Ken proceeded to Heidelberg, Germany, for assignment to the 541st Engineer Company, Float Bridge, 11th Engineer Group (Combat), 7th U. S. Army.

In September 1964 he found himself Company Commander of this 170 man company which had \$3,000,000 worth of equipment, including 90 trucks, and he had

the Czech border. He said: "I had to learn in a hurry." Ken was promoted to first lieutenant shortly after this move.

Included in the many reasons why Mr. Cage favors ROTC were: (1) opportunity to see the East Coast, (2) tour of Europe, and (3) the maturity gained with high-level responsibility.

Ken is a member of Lambda Chi Alpha and comes from Crystal City, Mo.



KENNETH L. CAGE

to move this company 170 miles from Heidelberg to a location near

## University Dames Elects Officers

Monday evening, April 5, the University Dames held their meeting in the Student Union Ballroom. The most important business was the election of officers for the 1965-1966 year. The officers chosen are as follows: President, Mary Scott; Vice-President, Nancy Earney; Second Vice-President, Janice Fenton; Recording Secretary, Carol Marshall; Corresponding Secretary, Janet Stainbrook; Treasurer, Bette Jeanne Higgins; and Financial Chairman, Nancy Lawrence.

The evening's program was pre-

sented by the owner and several beauticians of the Stylette Beauty Shop. They demonstrated the combing out of a number of the latest hair styles. Members of the Dames served as models.

Plans and preparations are in full swing for the University Dames Banquet honoring the members whose husbands will graduate in May or August. It will be held Thursday, May 6, at 6:30 p.m. in the Student Union Ballroom. Tickets are now available to members at \$2.50 each.

## Pi Tau Sigma Hosts Banquet

Pi Tau Sigma, the National Honorary Mechanical Engineering Fraternity, held its annual pledge banquet on April 4, 1965, in the Crystal Room of the Carney Manor Hotel. The members of the pledge class who were initiated to active membership were Al Behring, David Wehmeyer, Ron Melliore, Marvin Bonner, Chuck Schutty, Richard Baker, Dennis

Lankford, William S. Williams, Phil Buckley, Larry Roberts, Ed Crow, Dennis Schwerzler, Larry Adair and Ashok K. Anand.

Professor William Murphy, of the Humanities Department, spoke on the subject "And All of the Teachers Started Writing," a subject concerning a growing trend of teachers concentrating their efforts towards research, and

away from teaching itself. He noted that this is creating a de-emphasis on teaching, and he expressed his hopes that the students would do their part in raising the image of the teaching profession.

Professor Murphy's speech was followed by the annual pledge class skits which were a source of enjoyment for all those in attendance.

## MSM's Circle K Awards Slide Rule

The Circle K organization at MSM awarded a slide rule to the exhibitor of an outstanding project in the South Central Missouri Science Fair.

The winner of the Circle K award this year was Jennifer Lynn Zaiser, a senior from West Plains High School. Her project was "A Study of Lift and Drag." In this project, Miss Zaiser built a wind tunnel and studied the aerodynamic qualities of various specimens.

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Why not talk to your Professor of Military Science now. Let him know you're interested in signing up for the Advanced Course. Then if you are offered an opportunity to join, don't pass it up. It's the program that's best for you . . . and best for your country.

**If you're good enough to be an Army officer, don't settle for less.**

# ARMY ROTC



# MINER SPORTS

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## Principia Tracksters Chase Miners in Season's First Loss

By Lloyd J. Lazarus

Last Tuesday Principia College track team handed the MSM trackmen their first defeat in dual meet competition 94 to 56.

In the 440 yd. relay the team of Zucker, Gray, Tharp, and King came in second. Moore ran the mile in 4:44.8 and in the process ran off with first place. King followed with another first place in the 440 yd. dash in 52.3 seconds.

Although we had taken first in the mile and 440 yd. dash, we were not as fortunate in the 100 yd. dash in which all of our runners failed to place. We got back into the scoring column when Gray finished second in the high hurdles. In the shot put Faintich and Florence finished one-two, with Faintich putting the shot 43 feet 9 inches. This was the only MSM first-second finish of the day.

## NEMO Tops Eight-Team Tennis Tourney

By Bruce Worth

In an eight team tennis tournament at Kirksville MSM finished seventh ahead of Westminster College. As expected, Kirksville picked-off first place with a total of 39 points. The Miners would have placed a lot higher if the draws had been different however MSM drew some of the toughest competition in the first round. The play for MSM went as follows in the singles.

Kim Thein (MSM) lost to Dennis Mueller (KSTC), 10-4. Jeff Goldbogen (MSM) lost to John Runoe (Quincy), 10-7. Hank Montray (MSM) lost to John Priebe (St. Cloud), 10-4. Tom Austin (MSM) beat Pete Barnes (Westminster), 10-0. Lou Ogle (MSM) beat Ken Pietrowski (WIU), 10-8. Ron Muelberg (MSM) lost to Dan Rohr (St. Ambrose), 13-11.

In the doubles: Thein-Goldbogen (MSM) lost to Powell-Whitman (ISU), 10-3 and Montrey-Austin (MSM) lost to Kilian-Elmore (KSTC), 10-3.

The total team scores were: 1. Kirksville (39); 2. Illinois State University (20); 3. St. Ambrose (10); 4. St. Cloud State (Minn.) (8); 5. Quincy College (5); 6. Western Illinois University (3); 7. MSM (2); and 8. Westminster (1).

### BASEBALL DOUBLEHEADER

MISSOURI MINERS  
VS.  
HARRIS TEACHERS COLLEGE  
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The pole vault was next with Schaumbauer coming in second and Andrews finishing third for MSM. Tharp placed second in the 880 yd. dash, and Schaefer came in third in the broad jump. The 220 yd. dash was next with King taking second. Buckel took third in the high jump when both Principia jumpers tied for first place at 5 ft 8 in. The 330 yd. hurdles were next with Weitzel of MSM taking third.

In the discus, Beard threw the platter 124 ft. 7 in. for first place with Ellison taking third. Damotte ran for 10 minutes and 36 seconds to take first place in the two mile event, and Scheibel finished third. The mile relay was won by Principia with the MSM relay team taking second. Wisell took second and Florence took third in the javelin. The last event was the triple jump in which Lewis took second.

## Sports Calendar

### VARSITY TRACK

April 24 ..... Springfield Relays, at SMS  
April 27 ..... Westminster, at Fulton

### VARSITY GOLF

April 23 ..... Concordia Seminary at St. Louis  
April 24 ..... Kirksville, at MSM  
April 27 ..... Westminster, at Fulton

### VARSITY TENNIS

April 24 ..... McKendree College, at MSM  
April 27 ..... Westminster, at Fulton

### INTRAMURALS

April ..... Tennis Doubles, Horseshoes, and Softball Play Continues

## MSM Golfers Trounce Washington U. Bears

The second golf encounter of the season found the Missouri Miners at St. Louis opposite the linksmen from Washington University. In match play held at the Crystal Lake course on April 23, under the direction of Lt. Col. John Short, came through in fine style by trouncing the Bears 20-7.

The one-two team of Bill McCracken and Buddy Jones lost to the opposition 6½ to 2½, however the combination of John So-look and Larry Parks won all possible points in their match (9 points). Bill Stoltz and Steve Coats were victorious over the Bears by the score of 8½ to ½.

This was the first time the men from MSM had been exposed to play under the rules of match play. Considering the wet condi-

tion of the course, the Miners presented an outstanding performance.

A rained-out match with Drury College had been rescheduled for Thursday of this past week, and the Miners are to meet Concordia Seminary at Forest Park in St. Louis, today. Tomorrow Kirksville will visit the MSM linksmen in Rolla.

Lieutenant Colonel John R. Short, Jr., Associate Professor of Military Science, is coach of the MSM Golf Team this year.

Colonel Short volunteered his services and experience as coach of the golf team in line with the policy of the personnel of the Military Department to contribute as much as they can to the activities of the University outside the Military Department.

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### RAIN FORCES POSTPONEMENTS

## April Showers Bring Headaches to Scheduling

Adverse weather conditions just prior to the start of Easter vacation last week forced the postponement of several varsity athletic events. Rescheduled for play this past Thursday was the first baseball game, MSM vs. Drury College, a golf meet and a tennis

team visits Concordia Seminary at St. Louis, and a full schedule of events is in store for Saturday. Harris Teachers College will be at MSM for a double header, and the golf squad from Northeast Missouri State will invade Rolla for some action. McKendree Col-



Practice continues prior to first MSM intercollegiate baseball game, originally scheduled for last Wednesday.

meet, also against Drury College. The baseball and tennis meetings were fought at MSM, while the golf matches were held at Springfield.

The Missouri Miners' tennis squad traveled to St. Louis for a duel with Washington University on Tuesday, April 20, and the MSM harriers were to oppose the Wash. U. Bears on the following day this week.

This afternoon, the varsity golf

team will oppose the Miners in a tennis match to be held at MSM, and the trackmen will enter the Springfield Relays at the campus of Southwest Missouri State.

Tuesday, April 27, Drury College of Springfield will host the Miner baseball squad. Westminster College of Fulton, Missouri, will host MSM in three sports on this same day: golf, tennis, and track.

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